



# CVE-2021-27216

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## Summary

<b>CVE</b>	CVE-2021-27216
<b>State</b>	PUBLIC
<b>Assigner</b>	cve@mitre.org
<b>Source Priority</b>	CVE Program / NVD first with legacy fallback
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<b>Description</b>	Exim 4 before 4.94.2 has Execution with Unnecessary Privileges. By leveraging a delete_pid_file race condition, a local use

## Risk And Classification

**Problem Types:** CWE-362

## NVD Known Affected Configurations (CPE 2.3)

Type	Vendor	Product	Version	Update	Edition	Language
Application	Exim	Exim	All	All	All	All

## References

Reference	Source	Link	Tags
<a href="http://www.exim.org/static/doc/security/CVE-2020-qualys/CVE-2020-28007-LFDIR.txt">www.exim.org/static/doc/security/CVE-2020-qualys/CVE-2020-28007-LFDIR.txt</a>	MISC	<a href="http://www.exim.org">www.exim.org</a>	
CVE Program record	CVE.ORG	<a href="http://www.cve.org">www.cve.org</a>	canonical
NVD vulnerability detail	NVD	<a href="http://nvd.nist.gov">nvd.nist.gov</a>	canonical, analysis

No vendor comments have been submitted for this CVE.

## Legacy QID Mappings

- [179723](#) Debian Security Update for exim4 (CVE-2021-27216)
- [198350](#) Ubuntu Security Notification for Exim4 Vulnerabilities (USN-4934-1) (21Nails)
- [354032](#) Amazon Linux Security Advisory for exim : ALAS-2022-1622
- [50110](#) Exim Mail Server Multiple Vulnerabilities (21Nails)(Generic)
- [501544](#) Alpine Linux Security Update for exim

504726 Alpine Linux Security Update for exim

710114 Gentoo Linux Exim Multiple vulnerabilities (GLSA 202105-01)

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